Punishment of officers in the Public Health Department.

8. **Mr. M. P. Madhavan Pillai** (*Tiruvalla cum Pattanamtitta*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether any of the officers of the Public Health Department were suspended or dismissed during the last two years for grave irregularities;

(*b*) whether they would lay on the table the names of such officers, the reasons for the disciplinary action and the exact nature of the punishment accorded in such case; and

(*c*) whether it is a fact that the punishments were afterwards cancelled in some cases although the Government found the officers guilty of the offences alleged?

Dr. M. K. Gopala Pillai (*Director of Public Health*):

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) It is detrimental to public interests to disclose the names of the officers punished and the punishments awarded to them.

(*c*) No.

Orders of the Registrar re audited figures of Co-operative institutions.

9. **Mr. M. P. Madhavan Pillai**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have the power to pass the final audited figures of Co-operative institutions;

(*b*) whether the Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd. No.1, has objected to abide by the audit order passed by the Registrar;

(*c*) whether the Government have received any report on the matter; and

(*d*) whether they have taken any action?

Mr. M. Govinda pillai (*Registrar of Co-operative Societies*):

(*a*) The Registrar has power to pass the final audited figures of Co-operative Institutions.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) The matter is under consideration.

Appointments made since the submission of the report of the Public Service Recruitment Committee.

10. **Mr. Tariatu Kunjitomman**: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement, by caste, of the number of both permanent and acting appointments made carrying a pay of more than Rs. 20 after submission of the report of the Public Service Recruitment Committee to Governmemt till the 1st Karkatakam 1110?

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